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This is in response to the currently outstanding non-final Official Action in the above-identified case dated 12 March 2007.

Claims 1-20 and 22-39 are pending in the subject application. Claim 21 was previously cancelled, without prejudice. Claims 1-22 and 22-39 are subject to a restriction/election requirement.